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Hon. Cathy Seibel
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
300 Quarropas Street
White Plains, NY 10601

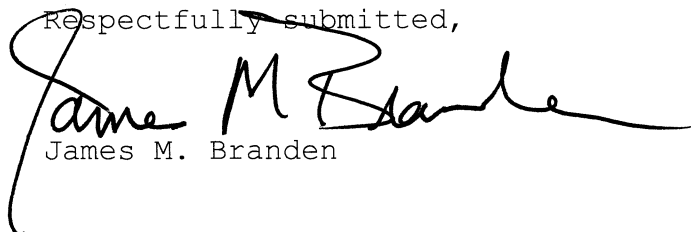
Re: United States v. Damita Williams
Cr. Docket No. 17-364-22 (CS)

Dear Judge Seibel:

I represent Ms. Williams in the above-referenced matter. On July 28, 2018, Ms. Williams pleaded guilty to witness tampering. She is scheduled to be sentenced on November 27, 2018. I write to request an adjournment of her sentencing because I will be out of town from November 10-17, at the time her sentencing submission is due, and because I am still gathering background material and character letters on her behalf. I request a three-week adjournment and I am available December 18-21 at any time.

This is the first request for an adjournment of sentencing.

Respectfully submitted,



James M. Branden